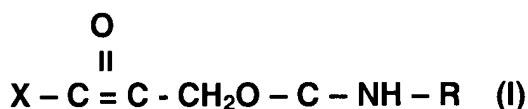


# IN THE CLAIMS

Amend the claims as follows.

1. (Currently Amended) Cosmetic or dermatological composition consisting essentially of, in a physiologically acceptable medium:

~~(a)~~ at (a) at least one alkynyl carbamate of formula (I) below:



in which:

X denotes a halogen atom

R denotes a hydrogen atom,

an alkyl group,

a hydroxyalkyl group, and

~~(b)~~ and (b) 3-(2-ethylhexyloxy)-1,2-propanediol.

2. (Previously Amended) Composition according to Claim 1, comprising at least one compound of formula (I) in which X denotes an iodine atom and R denotes an alkyl radical containing from 1 to 4 carbon atoms.

Claim 3 (Canceled).

4. (Previously Amended) Composition according to Claim 1, further containing an antibacterial agent selected from the group consisting of chloramine T, Irgasan DP

300, chloramine B, 1,3-dibromo-5,5-dimethylhydantoin, 1,3-dichloro-5,5-dimethylhydantoin, 3-bromo-1-chloro-5, 5-dimethylhydantoin and N-chlorosuccinimide.

Claim 5 (Canceled).

6. (Previously Amended) Composition according to Claim 1, wherein the compound of formula (I) and the component (b) are simultaneously present in individual proportions of between 0.001% and 10% by weight relative to the total weight of the composition.

7. (Previously Amended) Composition according to Claim 1, wherein the formula (I) and the component (b) are simultaneously present in individual proportions of between 0.01% and 5% by weight relative to the total weight of the composition.

8. (Previously Amended) Composition according to Claim 1, wherein the weight ratio of compound (I) to the component (b) ranges from 0.01 to 100.

9. (Previously Amended) Composition according to Claim 1, wherein the weight ratio of compound (I) to the component (b) ranges from 0.05 to 5.

10. (Previously Amended) Composition according to Claim 1, having a pH of between 2 and 12.

11. (Previously Amended) Composition according to Claim 1, wherein the physiologically acceptable medium consists of water or of a mixture of water and at least one organic solvent selected from the group consisting of C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> lower alcohols, alkylene glycol, ethylene glycol monobutyl ether, and propylene glycol and dipropylene glycol mono(or di)ethyl (or methyl) ether, present, in proportions of between 1 and 80% by weight relative to the total weight of the composition.

12. (Previously Amended) Composition according to Claim 1, in the form of lotions, shampoos, mousses, creams, gels, sticks, sprays, balms, powders or solid or liquid soaps.

13. (Previously Amended) Composition according to Claim 1, further comprising at least one additive selected from the group consisting of anionic, amphoteric, zwitterionic or nonionic surfactants, suspending agents, anionic, nonionic, cationic or amphoteric polymers, proteins, silicone oils, waxes, resins and/or gums, acidifying or basifying agents, preserving agents, fragrances, antibacterial agents, antifungal agents or other adjuvants commonly used in cosmetics or dermatology.

Claims 14-17 (Canceled)

18. (Previously Amended) Cosmetic treatment process for eliminating dandruff from the hair and the scalp, comprising applying a composition of Claim 1 to wet or dry hair, and this is optionally followed by a rinsing operation.

19. (Previously Added) A cosmetic treatment of the hair or scalp comprising applying the composition of Claim 1 to said hair or scalp.

20. (Previously Added) A cosmetic antifungal treatment comprising applying the composition of Claim 1 to the hair or scalp of an individual in need of said treatment.

21. (Previously Added) A cosmetic antidandruff cosmetic treatment comprising applying the composition of Claim 1 to the hair or scalp of an individual in need of said treatment.

22. (Previously Added) A method of making a dermatological composition for treatment of inflammatory and/or desquamating skin disorders comprising mixing an alkynyl carbamate and at least one polyol in a cosmetic composition.

23. (Previously Added) A method of treating inflammatory and/or desquamating skin disorders associated with *Malassezia* spp comprising applying the composition of Claim 1 to the skin or scalp of a person in need of said treatment.

24. (new) Cosmetic or dermatological composition consisting essentially of, in a physiologically acceptable medium:

(a) 3-iodo-2-propynyl butylcarbamate, and

(b) 3-(2-ethylhexyloxy)-1,2-propanediol.

25. (new) Composition according to Claim 24, further containing an antibacterial agent selected from the group consisting of chloramine T, Irgasan DP 300, chloramine B, 1,3-dibromo-5,5-dimethylhydantoin, 1,3-dichloro-5,5-dimethylhydantoin, 3-bromo-1-chloro-5, 5-dimethylhydantoin and N-chlorosuccinimide.

26. (new) Composition according to Claim 24, wherein the component (a) and the component (b) are simultaneously present in individual proportions of between 0.001% and 10% by weight relative to the total weight of the composition.

27. (new) Composition according to Claim 24, wherein the component (a) and the component (b) are simultaneously present in individual proportions of between 0.01% and 5% by weight relative to the total weight of the composition.

28. (new) Composition according to Claim 24, wherein the weight ratio of the component (a) to the component (b) ranges from 0.01 to 100.

29. (new) Composition according to Claim 24, wherein the weight ratio of the component (a) to the component (b) ranges from 0.05 to 5.

30. (new) Composition according to Claim 24, having a pH of between 2 and 12.

31. (new) Composition according to Claim 24, wherein the physiologically acceptable medium consists of water or of a mixture of water and at least one organic solvent selected from the group consisting of C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>4</sub> lower alcohols, alkylene glycol, ethylene glycol monobutyl ether, and propylene glycol and dipropylene glycol mono(or di)ethyl (or methyl) ether, present, in proportions of between 1 and 80% by weight relative to the total weight of the composition.

32. (new) Composition according to Claim 24, in the form of lotions, shampoos, mousses, creams, gels, sticks, sprays, balms, powders or solid or liquid soaps.

33. (new) Composition according to Claim 24, further comprising at least one additive selected from the group consisting of anionic, amphoteric, zwitterionic or nonionic surfactants, suspending agents, anionic, nonionic, cationic or amphoteric polymers, proteins, silicone oils, waxes, resins and/or gums, acidifying or basifying agents, preserving agents, fragrances, antibacterial agents, antifungal agents or other adjuvants commonly used in cosmetics or dermatology.

34. (new) Cosmetic treatment process for eliminating dandruff from the hair and the scalp, comprising applying a composition of Claim 24 to wet or dry hair, and this is optionally followed by a rinsing operation.

35. (new) A cosmetic treatment of the hair or scalp comprising applying the composition of Claim 24 to said hair or scalp.

36. (new) A cosmetic antifungal treatment comprising applying the composition of Claim 24 to the hair or scalp of an individual in need of said treatment.

37. (new) A cosmetic antidandruff cosmetic treatment comprising applying the composition of Claim 24 to the hair or scalp of an individual in need of said treatment.

38. (new) A method of making a dermatological composition for treatment of inflammatory and/or desquamating skin disorders comprising mixing 3-iodo-2-propynyl butylcarbamate and 3-(2-ethylhexyloxy)-1,2-propanediol in a cosmetic composition.

39. (new) A method of treating inflammatory and/or desquamating skin disorders associated with *Malassezia* spp comprising applying the composition of Claim 24 to the skin or scalp of a person in need of said treatment.